

## 5.A OASDI Current-Pay Benefits: Summary

Table 5.A6.—Number and average monthly benefit, by type of benefit and race, <sup>1</sup> December 1995 <sup>2</sup>

[Based on 10-percent sample]

Type of benefit	Total <sup>3</sup>	White	Black	Other
Number (in thousands)				
Total .....	43,380	37,647	4,432	1,077
Men .....	16,580	14,417	1,485	408
Women .....	23,060	20,416	2,086	462
Children .....	3,740	2,614	861	207
Under age 18 .....	2,958	1,990	725	188
Disabled, aged 18 or older .....	691	560	114	15
Students, aged 18-19 .....	91	64	22	4
Retired workers and their spouses				
and children .....	30,138	27,109	2,344	587
Retired workers .....	26,671	23,983	2,106	497
Wives and husbands .....	3,027	2,794	154	68
Children .....	440	333	84	21
Disabled workers and their spouses				
and children .....	5,862	4,386	1,110	294
Disabled workers .....	4,187	3,196	750	192
Wives and husbands .....	263	208	39	14
Children .....	1,412	982	322	88
Survivors of deceased workers .....	7,379	6,151	978	196
Widows and widowers .....	5,214	4,654	467	80
Widowed mothers and fathers .....	274	195	55	17
Children .....	1,887	1,299	455	98
Parents .....	4	3	1	1
Special age-72 beneficiaries .....	1	1	(4)	(4)
Average monthly benefit				
Retired workers .....	\$719.70	\$731.80	\$607.30	\$621.30
Men .....	810.00	824.70	669.20	676.40
Women .....	621.30	629.60	547.80	547.00
Disabled workers .....	682.40	700.90	622.90	614.90
Men .....	762.00	786.80	676.90	676.10
Women .....	555.50	559.70	546.30	520.70
Widowed mothers and fathers .....	476.10	507.40	392.70	391.60
Nondisabled widows and widowers .....	680.20	695.60	539.70	553.40
Surviving children .....	467.80	499.70	393.50	385.60

<sup>1</sup> See table 5.A1 for description of race data.

<sup>2</sup> See the subsection "Special Provisions for Railroad Retirement Beneficiaries" in the "Social Security: Program Summary" section.

<sup>3</sup> Includes persons of unknown race.

<sup>4</sup> Fewer than 500 beneficiaries.